

The State of New Hampshire

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE OFFICERS OF THE
TOWN OF

LANCASTER



For the Year Ending

January 31, 1940

Annual Report of the
Town Officers
of the Town of Lancaster



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TOWN OFFICERS

Moderator

D. J. TRULAND

Town Clerk and Treasurer

EDNA B. HALEY

Selectmen

G. E. STONE

W. R. GALBRAITH

A. F. STICKNEY

Tax Collector

W. E. BULLARD

Overseer of Poor

F. R. LYON

Supervisors of Check List

O'Neil Twitchell

B. T. Schurman

A. J. Kenney

Health Officer

DR. W. M. BRONSON

Road Commissioners

ARTHUR SAVAGE

ARTHUR WHITE

WALLACE MARTIN

Auditors

A. J. KENNEY

L. B. HOLTON

Cemetery Committee

FRED C. CONGDON

JENNIE H. TWITCHELL

EMILIE P. SHURTLEFF

Library Trustees

JAMES L. DOW

EMILY L. HOLTON

ANNIE P. HASTINGS*

Trustees of Trust Funds

C. L. HURLEY J. L. DOW W. H. McCARTEN

Col. Town Spending Committee

W. M. BRONSON ETHEL L. McCARTEN
L. E. BRAGG D. A. O'BRIEN EVELYN MOYLE
ENOS G. FAY CARROLL STOUGHTON
KATHERINE LANE ELMER DICKEY

Chief of Police

ALBERT J. KENNEY

* Resigned

TOWN WARRANT

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Lancaster qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town on the second Tuesday of March, next at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Town Clerk, a Town Treasurer, one Selectman for three years, one Trustee of Trust Funds for three years, one Library Trustee for three years, three members of the Col. Town Spending Committee for three years and other necessary officers for the ensuing year.

2. To raise and appropriate such sums of money as may be necessary for Town officers' salaries, Town officers' expenses, for Election and Registration, Municipal Court, Town Hall, Police Department, Fire Department, Legal expenses, Health Department, Vital Statistics, Sewer Maintenance, Town Maintenance, Street lighting, Library, Town Poor, Old Age Assistance, Memorial Day, Parks and Playgrounds including Band Concerts, Cemeteries, Regional Development, Board of Trade, Interest on temporary loans, on Long Term Notes, for Town Road Aid, Sidewalk construction, New equipment, Sewer construction, payment on Long Term Notes and other town expenses.

3. To direct how money raised for the above purposes be expended.

4. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money on temporary notes in anticipation of taxes, covering period from March 12, 1940 to the Annual Meeting of 1941.

5. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any real estate acquired by the town thru Tax Collector's deeds.

6. To see if the town will authorize the Selectmen to distribute the blank inventories at the time they examine and appraise the property to be taxed.

7. To see what action the town will take in regard to discontinuing as open highways and make subject to gates and bars, the following parts of roads: the road leading from the Page Hill road to the Mrs. Vera Blanchard house; the Stebbins Hill road leading from A. D. White's driveway to the turn opposite the so-called Ray Howe place; the so-called Morse road in district No. 10 or No. 14 road as shown on State Highway map; the road leading from Wallace Martin's to the Dalton road; the road leading from the Frank Jordan road to the State Road between Lancaster and Northumberland known as the "old County Road".

8. To bring in your votes for the election of Delegates at Large, Alternate Delegates at Large, Delegates and Alternate Delegates to the National Conventions of the various political parties to be held to nominate party candidates for President and Vice-President of the United States.

9. To transact any other business which may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hand and seal at Lancaster, this 26th day of February, 1940.

GEORGE E. STONE,
WM. R. GALBRAITH,
ARTHUR F. STICKNEY,
Selectmen of Lancaster.

A true copy, attest:

GEORGE E. STONE,
WM. R. GALBRAITH,
ARTHUR F. STICKNEY,
Selectmen of Lancaster.

BUDGET FOR 1940

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the coming year, February 1, 1940 to January 31, 1941, compared with Actual Revenue and Expenditures of the Previous Year, February 1, 1939 to January 31, 1940.

Sources of Revenue

Actual 1939 Est. 1940

From State:

Interest and Dividends Tax	\$3298.64	\$3000.00
Insurance Tax	23.97	23.00
Railroad Tax	1141.97	1000.00
Savings Bank Tax	5995.49	5500.00

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Business Licenses and Permits	80.00	75.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	41.51	
Rent of Town Hall	583.00	500.00
Interest Received on Taxes & Deposits	354.22	200.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	3722.00	3000.00

From Local Taxes Other Than Property Taxes:

Poll Taxes		2500.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	602.27	600.00

Total Revenues from all Sources

Except Property Taxes \$16,398.00

Amt. to be raised by Prop. Taxes

Plus County and School Monies \$35,645.77

Total Revenues \$52,043.77

Purposes of Expenditures

Actual 1939 Est. 1940

Current Maintenance Expenses:

General Government:

Town Officers' Salaries	\$1988.34	\$2000.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1153.15	1150.00
Election and Registration Expenses	48.00	400.00
Municipal Court Expenses	200.00	200.00
Salary of Clerk of Municipal Court		1.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other		
Town Buildings	2692.08	2000.00

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police Department	2242.74	2500.00
Fire Department	2044.62	2050.00

Health:

Health Dept., includes Dental		
Clinic	1235.00	1200.00
Vital Statistics	33.25	40.00
Sewer Maintenance	234.31	250.00

Highways and Bridges:

Town Maintenance	17627.10	16000.00
Street Lighting	5265.00	3555.00
White Mt. Regional	302.00	302.00
Board of Trade	200.00	200.00

Libraries:

Libraries	2000.00	2300.00
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Public Welfare:

Town Poor	4079.32	5000.00
Old Age Assistance	1385.35	1500.00

Patriotic Purposes:

Memorial Day	75.00	75.00
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Recreation:

Parks and Playgrounds,		
including band concerts	617.49	650.00

Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries	225.00	275.00
Legal expense		100.00

Interest:

On Temporary Loans	271.42	300.00
On Bonded Debt	90.00	out
On Long Term Notes	1339.10	1073.39

Outlay for New Construction and

Permanent Improvement:

Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid	890.01	601.90
Sidewalk Construction	748.43	400.00
Sewer Construction	46.26	800.00
New Equipment	3140.00	800.00

Indebtedness:

Payment on Principal of Debt:

Bonds	2000.00	out
Long Term Notes	6520.48	6320.48

Payment to Other Governmental Divisions:

County Taxes	41945.21
Payments to School District	47414.89

Total Expenditures	\$52,043.77
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SELECTMEN'S REPORT

Polls 1688	
Real Estate	\$2,397,045.00
2 Oxen	140.00
450 Fowls	450.00
6 Hogs	75.00
219 Horses	24,400.00
1332 Cows	64,620.00
213 Neat Stock	8,510.00
102 Sheep	674.00
Stock-in-trade	265,094.00
Gas Pumps	5,215.00
Electric Plants	209,975.00
Mills and Machinery	77,875.00
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	\$3,054,073.00
Exemptions	41,084.00
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Taxable valuation	\$3,012,989.00
Valuation Town School District	\$ 813,223.00
Valuation Union School District	\$2,199,766.00
Rate Town District	\$4.17
Rate Union District	\$4.35

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending January 31, 1940

	<i>Appropriation</i>	<i>Expenditures</i>	<i>Unexp. Bal.</i>	<i>Overdraft</i>
Town Officers' Salaries	\$1875.00	\$1988.34		\$113.34
Town Officers' expenses	1150.00	1153.15		3.15
Elec. & Registration	150.00	48.00	102.00	
Municipal Court	200.00	200.00		
Town Hall	2000.00	2692.08		*692.08
Police Department	2500.00	2242.74	257.26	
Fire Dept.	2050.00	2044.62	5.38	
Health Dept.	1200.00	1235.00		35.00
Vital Statistics	40.00	33.25	6.75	
Sewer Maintenance	400.00	234.31	165.69	
Town Maintenance	14500.00	17627.10		*3127.10
Street Lighting	3568.84**	3555.00*	13.84	
Library	2000.00	2000.00		
Town Poor	6000.00	4079.32	1920.68	
Old Age Assistance	1250.00	1383.35		133.35
Memorial Day	75.00	75.00		
Parks & Playgrounds	500.00	617.49		117.49
Cemeteries	225.00	225.00		
Damages & legal expense	100.00	56.00	44.00	
Int. on Temp. Loans	500.00	271.42	228.58	
Int. on bonded debt	90.00	90.00		
Int. on long term notes	1343.60	1339.10	4.50	
Sewer construction	400.00	46.26	353.74*	
Sidewalk construction	500.00	748.43		248.43

New equipment—truck &

sewer rods	450.00	3140.00	2690.00
Pay't on long term notes	6320.48	6520.48	*200.00
Payment on Bonds	2000.00	2000.00	

* Re-imbursements not included.

** \$1710.00 is paid by Lancaster Fire Precinct in addition.

TOWN OF LANCASTER		BALANCE
Assets		
Cash:		
In hands of treasurer		\$ 8992.25
In hands of officials:		
Road Agents—Bank deposits		300.00
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1938		4040.79
Levy of 1937		1316.75
Previous Years		141.67
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1939		16667.88
Levy of 1938		599.06
Levy of 1937		290.99
Previous Years		285.60
Total Assets		\$32634.99
Excess of liabilities over assets (Net Debt)		38308.99
Grand Total		\$70943.98
Net Debt, January 31, 1939	\$47,696.40	
Net Debt, January 31, 1940	\$38,308.99	
Decrease of Debt	\$ 9,387.41	

SHEET

JANUARY 31, 1940

Liabilities**Accounts Owed by the Town:**

Appropriation No. 10, Cemetery	\$ 100.00
Appropriation—Robicbeau sewer	50.00
Appropriation—Pruning trees	200.00
Appropriation—Garage	300.00
Due to School Districts:	
Dog licenses	70.27
Balance of Appropriation	20698.37
Outstanding Temporary Loans in	
Anticipation of Taxes	20,000.00
Lincoln R. Young Co.—	
Matures Mar. 15, 1940	
Long Term Notes Outstanding	29525.34
(See Page 20)	
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Total Liabilities	\$70943.98
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Grand Total	\$70943.98

TOWN OF LANCASTER

RECEIPTS AND

Receipts**From Local Taxes:**

Total taxes com. to col., 1939	\$129851.37
Less discounts & abatements, 1939	682.10
Less uncollected, 1939	15203.88

Property taxes, current year, actually collected	\$113965.39
Poll taxes, current year, actually collected	1882.00
National Bank Stock taxes	602.27

Total current year's collections	\$116449.66
Property and poll taxes, previous years, actually collected	14092.68
Tax sales redeemed	6540.80

From State:

For Highways and Bridges—Flood

Damage	\$979.73
Interest and dividend tax	3298.64
Insurance tax	23.97
Railroad tax	1141.97
Savings bank tax	5995.49
Bounties	24.20

From Local Sources, Except Taxes:

Dog licenses	195.67
Business licenses and permits	80.00
Fines and forfeits, municipal court	41.51
Rent of town Building	651.90
Interest received on taxes	254.22

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\$12687.30 \$149770.44

PAYMENTS **ENDING JANUARY 31, 1940****Payments****Current Maintenance Expenses:****General Government:**

Town officers' salaries	\$ 1988.34
Town officers' expenses	1153.15
Election and registration expenses	48.00
Municipal court expenses	200.00
Expenses town hall	2692.08

Protection of Persons and Property:

Police department	2242.74
Fire department, including forest fires	2044.62
Bounties	24.20
Damage by dogs	125.40

Health:

Health department	1235.00
Vital statistics	33.25
Sewer maintenance	234.31

Highways and Bridges:

Town Road Aid	890.01
Town Maintenance	17627.10
Street lighting	5265.00

Libraries:

Libraries	2000.00
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Public Welfare:

Old age assistance	1383.35
Town poor	4079.32
Expense Town Wood Lots	1089.59

Patriotic Purposes:

Aaid to G. A. R. Memorial Day exercises	75.00
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Recreation:

Parks and playgrounds, including band concerts and Col. Cross Park	1034.29
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\$45464.75

	RECEIPTS AND
Continued from Page 14	\$149,770.44
Appropriations to general municipal funds from municipally owned utilities	1710.00
Registration of motor vehicles, 1938 Permits	19.15
Registration of motor vehicles, 1939 Permits	3965.35
	<hr/> \$ 5694.50
Total Current Revenue Receipts carried forward	<hr/> \$155464.94

PAYMENTS—(Continued)

Forwarded from Page 15	\$45464.75
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Public Service Enterprises:

Special appropriations	602.00
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Cemeteries	225.00
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Unclassified:

Damages and legal expenses	56.00
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Taxes bought by town	7128.14
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Insurance on property purchased by town	4.00
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Auto permit fees	262.50
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Total Current Maintenance Expenses	
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(carried forward)	\$53742.39
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	RECEIPTS AND
Total receipts brought forward	\$155464.94
Receipts Other Than Current Revenue:	
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$70000.00
Insurance adjustments	84.27
Refunds	24.60
Sale of town property acquired by tax deed	549.56
Telephone	15.35
Jefferson—use of jail	1.00
Fees from Tax sales	26.50
Dennison Estate	500.00
State—trucking culvert pipe	183.45
F. R. Lyon, Overseer, for wood	322.00
County for wood	425.00
State—use of truck	39.60
State—labor	13.00
State—gas and oil	45.46
5 Sewer connections	75.00
Oiling driveways	240.07
Lancaster Fire Precinct, 1-2 office Sts.	7.50
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Total Receipts Other Than Current Revenue	\$72552.36
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Total Receipts From All Sources	\$228017.30
Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1939	12706.35
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Grand Total	\$240,723.65

PAYMENTS—(Continued)

Total Payments brought forward	\$ 53742.39
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Interest:

Paid on temporary loans in	
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anticipation of taxes	\$ 271.42
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Paid on long term notes	1339.10
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Paid on bonded debt	90.00
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Total Interest Payments	\$ 1700.52
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**Outlay for New Construction and
Permanent Improvements:**

Sidewalk construction	\$748.43
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Sewer construction	46.26
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Lands and building, Vault Door	366.64
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New equipment—Highway \$2775, Other, \$365)	3140.00
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Total Outlay Payments	\$ 4301.33
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Indebtedness:

Payments on temporary loans	
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in anticipation of taxes	\$50000.00
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Payments on long term notes	6520.48
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Payments on bonded debt	2000.00
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Total Indebtedness Payments	\$ 58520.48
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Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:

Taxes paid to County	\$66051.79
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Payments to School Districts	47414.89
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Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions	\$113466.68
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Total Payments for all Purposes	\$231731.40
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Cash on hand January 31, 1940	8992.25
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Grand Total	240723.65
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TOWN OF LANCASTER

January 31, 1940

**Showing Annual Maturities of Outstanding
Long Term Notes**

Highway Construction Serial Notes 4½ pc.	Highway Construction Serial Notes 3½ pc.	Total Annual Maturities
1940 \$4000.00	\$2320.48	\$6320.48
1941	2320.48	2320.48
1942	2320.48	2320.48
1943	2320.48	2320.48
1944	2320.48	2320.48
1945	2320.49	2320.49
1946	2320.49	2320.49
1947	2320.49	2320.49
1948	2320.49	2320.49
1949	2320.49	2320.49
1950	2320.49	2320.49
<hr/> Total \$4000.00	<hr/> \$25525.34	<hr/> \$29525.34

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 21150.00
Furniture and Equipment	300.00
Libraries, Lands and Buildings	28000.00
Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	9470.00
Equipment	8000.00
Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	2,000.00
Schools, Lands and Buildings	89000.00
Equipment	8000.00
Chas. E. Fowler land, Lot 7, Range22, 13 acres	100.00
Ruth Hutchinson farm and buildings, 24 acres	500.00
Mrs. Julian Bell lot, Richardson St.	200.00
J. G. Willoughby Homestead, Riverside	900.00
Davey Farm purchased	400.00
Paul Farm purchased	600.00
1-2 Town and Masonic Bldg.	8000.00
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Total	\$176,620.00

Auditors' Report

Feb. 15, 1940. Audited and found correct.

A. J. KENNEY,

L. B. HOLTON,

Auditors.

TOWN CLERK CLERK'S REPORT

To the Selectmen of the Town of Lancaster:

Gentlemen: I submit the following reports for the year 1939:

15	1938 Permits for automobile registrations	\$ 19.15
1035	1939 Permits for automobile registrations	3965.35

\$3984.50

Amount of Town Clerk's fees \$ 262.50

Amount paid Treasurer 3722.00

\$3984.50

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Amount received from dog licenses:

6 males for 1938	\$ 12.00
86 males for 1939	172.00
4 females	20.00
1 male for 10 months	1.67
1 male for 7 months	1.16

\$206.83

Paid Town Clerk \$ 11.16

Paid Treasurer 195.67

\$206.83

EDNA B. HALEY,
Town Clerk.

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

CURRENT MAINTENANCE EXPENSES

GENERAL GOVERNMENT

Town Officers' Salaries

L. B. Holton, Auditor	\$ 55.00
A. J. Kenney, Auditor	55.00
Geo. E. Stone, Selectman	300.00
W. R. Galbraith, Selectman	300.00
A. F. Stickney, Selectman	300.00
W. E. Bullard, Tax Collector	525.00
R. E. Allison, Tax Collector	53.34
Edna B. Haley, Clerk	200.00
Edna B. Haley, Treas.	200.00

\$1988.34

Town Officers' Expenses

N. E. Tel. & Tel. Co.	\$ 50.55
Coos County Democrat, printing	305.95
Register of Deeds	31.54
N. H. Assessor's Assoc., dues	2.00
Rewiring offices and lights	26.00
Officers' Bonds	143.50
P. O. Box rent	3.00
Coos County Selectmen's Assoc., dues	6.00
Cole Printing Co., vouchers	11.23
Expense to Tax Commission meeting	45.00
Lancaster Nat'l Bank, safety Deposit	6.00
Edna B. Haley, clerical	350.00
Linscott & Smith, supplies	12.87
Kaeser & Blair Inc., files	28.07
Envelopes and postage	102.70
Office supplies	28.74

\$1153.15

Election and Registration Expenses

B. T. Schurman, supervisor	\$15.00	
O'Neil Twitichell, supervisor	15.00	
A. J. Kenney, supervisor	15.00	
Byron Phillips, officer	3.00	
		\$ 48.00

Municipal Court Expenses

F. C. Cleaveland, salary as Judge	\$ 200.00
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Expenses Town Hall

Town and Masonic Corp.	\$2692.08
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PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY**Police Department**

A. J. Kenney, Chief	\$1440.00	
Joseph Kenney, special	75.50	
B. K. Phillips, special	16.00	
O. B. Hockett, special	34.00	
James King, special	573.93	
Francis Huntoon, special	7.50	
John Kingsley, special	3.00	
A. J. Kenney, trip to Concord	33.00	
Peerless Handcuff Co.	12.00	
Traffic Rd. Equipment Co., Badges	11.40	
Expense of Watchman's Clock	27.41	
		\$2242.74

Fire Department, including Forest Fires

Lancaster Fire Precinct	\$2000.00	
State of N. H., pumps and express	44.62	
		\$2044.62

Bounties

Paid on one Bear	\$ 5.00	
Paid on 96 Hedgehogs	19.20	
		\$ 24.20

Damage by Dogs

Brown & Saltmarsh, tags	\$10.15
Coos County Democrat, printing	.75
John P. Martin, lamb killed	7.50
David Parks, hens killed	20.00

Don McGoff, sheep killed	10.00	
Burt Smith, sheep killed	75.00	
L. A. Newman, dog killed	2.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 125.40

HEALTH**Health Department**

Ethel McCarten, Treas., Dental		
Clinic	\$200.00	
Public Health Nurse	800.00	
Dr. Bronson, Health Officer	200.00	
Paid by Town	35.00	
	<hr/>	\$1235.00

Vital Statistics

Rev. W. L. Dee, reporting marriages	\$ 2.25	
Dr. Ferguson, reporting births and		
deaths	14.00	
Dr. Bronson, reporting births and		
deaths	8.00	
Dr. Webb, reporting births and deaths	2.00	
Dr. Flynn, reporting births and		
deaths	1.25	
Dr. Schillhammer, reporting births and		
deaths	2.00	
Dr. Sharples, reporting births and		
deaths	3.75	
	<hr/>	\$ 33.25

Sewer Maintenance

Lancaster Fire Precinct	\$169.31	
H. A. Moore & Son	21.93	
Thompson Mfg. Co.	21.96	
Lancaster P. & H. Co.	1.28	
Robert McIntosh, labor	2.67	
Frank Griffin, labor	9.66	
Jess Lang, labor	5.17	
Earl Savage, labor	2.33	
	<hr/>	\$ 234.31

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES

Town Road Aid

Expended under supervision State Engineer \$ 890.01

Town Maintenance

Paid Arthur Savage, Agt.	\$4429.85
Paid Arthur White, Agt.	2757.49
Paid Wallace Martin, Agt.	1101.81
Truck Driver	1495.00
Care of town pump	520.00
Gasolene & oil	977.70
Repairs and supplies for trucks	1123.56
General repairs to machinery	299.15
Material and supplies	235.42
Labor	167.76
Insurance	555.95
Cleaning streets	242.25
Painting streets	20.10
Culverts	73.06
Sidewalk plowing	135.50
John D. Spear, boots	11.90
Frank Maker, drilling	10.23
Sharpening drills	8.25
Tar and oil	1820.28
S. H. Bennett, clay	14.00
Coos County Democrat, parking notices	3.85
A. F. Stickney, use of car and super- vision	75.00
W. R. Galbraith, use of car and super- vision	75.00
Express and freight	4.47
N. H.-Vt. Lumber Co., lease of land	25.00
J. E. Holmes, rollerman	24.60
State Treas. for rollerman	288.30
Gravel, John Newell	2.70
State Treas., refund account culvert	7.50
A. D. White, cutting bushes	4.00

State Treas., for shovel for winter sand	39.00	
A. J. McConnell, trough	3.00	
Stafford & England, trough for 1938 and 1939	6.00	
State Treas., paint patch	18.78	
Pruning trees	3.00	
Snow fence	28.00	
Garage lights	14.34	
Wiring garage	4.50	
Cold patch	651.67	
Chloride and salt	284.93	
Lancaster Garage, care of battery	10.90	
State—Shattuck Pit	53.30	
	<hr/>	\$17627.10

Street Lighting

Twin State Gas & Electric Co.	\$5265.00
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LIBRARIES

Library

James L. Dow, Treas.	\$2000.00
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PUBLIC WELFARE

Old Age Assistance

Paid State Dept. Public Welfare	\$1383.35
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Town Poor

F. R. Lyon, salary	\$ 200.00	
Paid F. R. Lyon, Overseer	3791.65	
Paid Children's Aid Society	87.67	
	<hr/>	\$4079.32
Cutting and hauling wood—Paul Farm	\$413.72	
Cutting and hauling wood—Fowler Lot	675.87	
	<hr/>	\$1089.59

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES
Aid to G. A. R.

Memorial Day	\$ 75.00
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RECREATION**Parks and Playgrounds, including Band Concerts**

David Currier, Treas. of Band	\$300.00	
Frank Griffin, labor	1.67	
New Flag Pole	56.97	
H. A. Moore & Son	3.05	
T. J. Vashaw, labor	6.00	
Thompson Mfg. Co.	31.86	
Adams & Woods	2.00	
Arthur Savage, Agt.	98.32	
M. J. Laughrey, labor	35.00	
F. B. Spaulding Co.	9.68	
Lancaster Fire Precinet, labor	72.94	
Col. Cross Park	416.80	
	<hr/>	\$1034.29

Public Service Enterprises

Special Appropriation		
Paid White Mt. Regional	\$302.00	
Paid Board of Trade	200.00	
Paid for lease of land—Timber Salvage	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 602.00

Cemeteries

All Saints Church	\$50.00	
Chas. L. Hurley Special	75.00	
Fred Congdon, Treas.	100.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 225.00

UNCLASSIFIED**Damages and Legal Expenses**

F. W. Baker	\$ 6.00	
Bernard Jacobs	50.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 56.00

Taxes Bought by Town

Paid W. E. Bullard, Tax Collector	\$7128.14
Paid Ins. on property bought by town	4.00
Paid auto permit fees	262.50

Total Current Maintenance Expenses \$53,742.39

INTEREST**Paid on Temporary Loans in Anticipation of Taxes**

Lincoln R. Young Co.	\$ 271.42
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Paid on Long Term Notes

Siwooganock G. S. Bank	\$184.50
Lancaster Sav. Bank	180.00
Chas. L. Hurley, Trustee	974.60
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	\$1339.10

Paid on Bonded Debt

Lancaster National Bank	\$ 90.00
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Total Interest Payments \$1700.52

**OUTLAY FOR NEW CONSTRUCTION
AND PERMANENT IMPROVEMENTS**

Sidewalk Construction

H. A. Moore & Son	\$210.51
Thos. Parks, use of mixer	9.50
Manseau Bros., gravel	5.10
John Newell, gravel	4.20
Burt Smith, gravel	5.35
Thompson Mfg. Co.	2.92
Lancaster P. & H. Co.	3.18
Arthur Savage, Agt.	15.33
Labor	492.34
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	\$ 748.43

Sewer Construction

Thompson Mfg. Co.	\$45.01
Arthur White	1.25
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	\$ 46.26

Lands and Buildings

Door for Vault—Mosler Safe Co.	\$320.00	
E. K. Whitcomb, wiring	7.46	
Cleaning office	7.43	
Labor	31.75	
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		\$ 366.64

New Equipment

Mack Motor Truck Co.	\$2775.00	
Flexible Sewer Rods	365.00	
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		\$4301.00

INDEBTEDNESS**Payments on Temporary Loans in Anticipation
of Taxes**

Lincoln R. Young Co.	\$50000.00
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Payments on Long Term Notes

Siwooganock G. S. Bank	200.00	
Chas. L. Hurley, Trustee	2320.48	
Lancaster Sav. Bank	4000.00	
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		\$6520.48

Payments on Bonded Debt

Lancaster National Bank	\$2000.00
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Total Indebtedness Payments	\$58,520.48
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Payments on Other Governmental Divisions

Taxes paid to County:

Harry Kilgore, Treas., bal. of 1938	\$24106.58	
Harry Kilgore, Treas., 1939	41945.21	
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		\$66051.79

Payments to School Districts	\$47414.89
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Total Payments to Other Govern- mental Divisions	\$113466.68
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Total payments for all purposes	\$231,731.40
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ROAD AGENTS' REPORTS

ARTHUR WHITE, AGENT

Debits

Town Orders	\$2757.49
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Credits

Snow removal	\$ 150.09
Sanding	428.35
Turning water, ditching, culverts	308.18
Graveling	886.80
Cost of gravel	166.25
Grading	571.73
Tarring	60.08
Material and tools	37.44
Cutting bushes	46.37
Repairs	3.00
Road machine blades	28.00
Planking	19.70
Snow fence	51.50

\$2757.49

ARTHUR SAVAGE, AGENT

Debits

Town Orders	\$4429.85
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Credits

Snow removal	948.20
Sanding	675.47
Turning water, ditching	181.92
Graveling	307.42
Cost of gravel	9.00
Grading	50.33
Painting street	12.00
Cleaning street	333.52
Patching	251.16

Cleaning catch basins	65.00
Sand for oiling and tar	502.04
Hauling state culvert	39.99
Supplies	9.20
Prospect Park	345.05
Schol Street (not including oiling)	316.45
High Street (not including oiling)	240.12
Cleaning gravel pit	28.50
Excavating rock—Summer street	44.68
Governor's Terrace	39.00
Paul road	30.80

\$4429.85

WALLACE MARTIN, AGENT

Debits

Town Orders	\$1101.81
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Credits

Snow removal	10.67
Sanding	162.64
Turning water, ditching, culverts	313.90
Graveling	124.87
Cost of gravel	14.70
Grading	451.43
Patching	13.60
Snow fence	6.00
Supplies	4.00

\$1101.81

REPORT OF TRUST FUNDS

Receipts

Cash on Hand at close of last report	\$4008.82
Received for perpetual care of lots	850.00
Lancaster Fire Precinct on principal	2500.00
Interest, Lancaster Fire Precinct	352.59
Dividends	189.00
Received for 132 shares New Hampshire Fire Insurance Co. stock	6054.52
Lloyd H. Rollins, care of lot	10.00
Lancaster Trust Co., liquidating dividends	42.50
Interest, Dartmouth Savings Bank	137.81
Interest, Dunham mortgage	12.50
Town of Lancaster, special appropriation	75.00
Interest, Cheshire County Savings Bank	16.67
Interest, Franklin Savings Bank	37.50
Town of Lancaster, on principal	2320.48
Town of Lancaster, interest	974.60
Interest on bonds	863.75
Interest, Siwooganock Guaranty Savings Bk.	1156.93
Interest, Laconia Savings Bank	8.75
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	\$19,611.42

Expenditures

F. C. Congdon, Treasurer, for care of lots	\$ 747.50
F. C. Congdon, Treasurer, from Stevens Fund	1152.50
Rev. W. L. Dee, care of lots, Catholic Cemetery	53.00
Flowers, Memorial Day, Geo. M. Stevens Lot	14.50
Deposit, Franklin Savings Bank	6000.00
Deposit, Cheshire Savings Bank	5000.00
Deposit, Laconia Savings Bank	3500.00
Geo. N. Gray, Treas. Town School District	22.49
E. G. Fay, Treas. Union School District	52.49
James L. Dow, Treasurer, Library	275.02

Lillian Rosebrook, Historical Record	35.00
E. G. Fay, Treasurer E. S. Smith Fund	377.34
Cash on Hand	2381.58
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	\$19,611.42

Assets

Deposit, Lancaster National Bank	\$ 2381.58
Deposit, Siwooganock Guaranty Savings Bk.	45990.94
Deposit, Dartmouth Savings Bank	6000.00
Deposit, Franklin Savings Bank	6000.00
Deposit, Cheshire Savings Bank	5000.00
Deposit, Laconia Savings Bank	3500.00
Treasury Bond, U. S. Government	2500.00
Bond, Home Owners Loan Corporation	5000.00
Lancaster Fire Precinct notes	7500.00
Town of Lancaster notes	25525.34
County of Coos, bonds	10257.68
City of Berlin, bonds	5000.00
Miscellaneous stock, Geo. M. Stevens estate	2700.00
Helen Wilder Cross Dennison Trust Fund,	
Bonds, as follows:	
Pacific Gas & Electric 3 3-4ths	\$1000
Niagara, Lockport & Ontario 5s	1000
Maine Central 1st 4s	500
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	2500.00
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	\$129,855.54

Liabilities

Cemetery Trust	\$33342.61
Cemetery earnings	6502.72
School Trust	2142.38
Library Trust	9115.35
Historical Trust	1000.00
Historical earnings	71.62
Emmons S. Smith Trust	15000.00
Geo. M. Stevens Trust	56016.52

Geo. M. Stevens earnings	3974.34
Helen Wilder Cross Dennison trust	2500.00
Helen Wilder Cross Dennison earnings	190.00
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	\$129,855.54

TRUST FUND RECORD**Cemetery Trust**

Amount shown by last report	\$32,492.61
Received for care of lots, viz:	

Peter Smith lot	\$100.00
Ann O'Connell lot	100.00
W. H. Tripp lot	50.00
Effie Webster Estate	100.00
Clarence E. Goss, 2 lots	200.00
Charles A. Balch	100.00
Nellie W. Kellum	100.00
Mrs. Edna Bishop	100.00
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	850.00
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	\$33,342.61

Earnings unexpended at close of last report	\$6002.12
L. H. Rollins, care of lot	10.00
Special appropriation	75.00
Earnings, 1939	1216.10
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	\$7303.22

Expenditures:

F. C. Congdon, Treasurer	\$747.50
Rev. W. L. Dee	53.00
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	800.50

Unexpended balance Feb. 1, 1940	\$6502.72
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Historical Trust Fund

K. B. Fletcher Fund	\$1000.00
Unexpended Feb. 1, 1939	\$ 77.62

Earnings, 1939	29.00
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	\$106.62
Expended, 1939	35.00
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Unexpended balance, Feb. 1, 1940	\$ 71.62

Lancaster Public Library

Luella Joslyn Fund	\$1000.00
Laura Johnson Fund	2864.73
Jacob Benton Fund	250.62
Geo. M. Stevens Fund	5000.00
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	\$9115.35
Earnings, 1939	\$275.02
Paid, J. L. Dow, Treas.	275.02
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School Fund

Chapin Brooks Fund	\$2142.38
Earnings, 1939	\$74.98
Paid Treasurer Town	
School District	\$22.49
Paid Treasurer Union	
School District	52.49
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	\$74.98

Emmons S. Smith Trust

Amount of Fund	\$15,000.00
Earnings, 1939	\$377.34
Paid E. G. Fay, Treasurer	377.34

Geo. M. Stevens Trust

Amount of Fund, Feb. 1, 1939	\$56,662.00
Profit sale of New Hampshire	
Fire Insurance Co. stock	54.52
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	\$56,716.52

Less loss on Groveton National		
Bank stock	700.00	
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	\$56,016.52	
Amount of Fund, Feb. 1, 1940		\$56,016.52
Unexpended Feb. 1, 1939	\$3428.68	
Earnings, 1939	1712.66	
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	\$5141.34	
Expenditures:		
F. C. Congdon, Treas.	\$1152.50	
Flowers, Memorial Day	14.50	
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	1167.00	
Balance, Feb. 1, 1940	\$3974.34	

Helen Wilder Cross Dennison Trust

Amount of Fund		\$2500.00
Unexpended Feb. 1, 1939	\$ 82.50	
Earnings, 1939	107.50	
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	\$190.00	

Expenditures: None

Respectfully submitted,
 CHAS. L. HURLEY,
 JAMES L. DOW,
 W. H. McCARTEN,
 Trustee of Trust Funds.

Examined and found correct with proper vouchers.

A. J. KENNEY,
 L. B. HOLTON,
 Auditors.

CEMETERY REPORT

Year ending February 1st, 1940

Receipts

Cash on hand February 1st, 1939	\$ 94.20
From Committee Trust Fund	1900.00
From Town of Lancaster	100.00
From sale of Lots	87.00
Rebate on labor for C. L. Hurley	1.50

\$2182.70

Payments

Water rent	\$ 13.34
Lane Flower Shop (Van Dyke Lot)	125.00
Lane Flower Shop (Drew Lot)	6.50
C. G. Hutchinson	103.50
F. B. Spaulding Co.	23.40
Robert Addley	11.30
H. A. Moore & Son	9.75
Nelson Merrow	47.70
Frank Smith Corp.	2.48
Perpetual Care of Lots, etc.	779.00
Joseph Aubin	415.00
Harlie Prince	302.50
M. J. Laughrey (on Drew Lot)	6.00
Neil Emerson	5.40
E. Bridge (cleaning Stones)	72.00
Cash on hand to balance	259.83

\$2182.70

Respectfully submitted,
FRED C. CONGDON,
Treasurer.

Auditors' Report

February 15, 1940. Examined and found correct.

A. J. KENNEY,

L. B. HOLTON,

Auditors.

MUNICIPAL COURT

To the Selectmen of Lancaster:

Herewith appended is an itemized statement of the receipts and disbursements of the Municipal Court for the year ending December 31, 1939:

Receipts

1939

Jan. 12	Fine and costs—State vs. Leo Alford	\$ 19.70
Feb. 24	Fine and costs (Balance) State vs. Emerald Cabana	14.90
Apr. 12	Fine and costs—State vs. Harry L. Summers	41.40
25	Fine and costs—State vs. William Griffin	21.70
May 8	Fine and costs—State vs. Linwood Green	31.70
15	Costs—State vs. George Fred Burgess	4.70
27	Fine and costs—State vs. Fred P. Corrigan	56.70
13	Entry fee—E. M. Bowker	.50
June 26	Fine and costs—State vs. Edward Dorr	65.80
30	Writs	1.00
July 3	Copies furnished Solicitor	6.00
22	Fine and costs—State vs. George Chaffee	17.02
24	Fine and costs—State vs. Robert Egan— (2) cases Nos. 681 and 682	36.60
31	Entry fees, executions and writs	4.34
Aug. 7	Balance due—fine and costs—State vs. Alvin Thompson	17.50

	9	Balance due—fine and costs—State vs. Harry Gallagher	33.50
		Fine and costs—State vs. Claude E. Mountain	9.70
	25	Fine and costs—State vs. Don Devlin	14.70
		Costs—State vs. George Kearns	6.70
Sept.	12	Entry fee—E. M. Bowker	.50
	19	Fine and costs—State vs. Edward N. Anderson	9.70
	25	Fine and costs—State vs. Ernest B. Mason	9.70
	30	Entry fees and executions	1.17
Oct.	2	Fine and costs—State vs. Lenwood Whiting	21.20
	10	Entry fee	.50
	28	Fine and costs—State vs. Robert Kay	9.70
Nov.	8	Rupert E. Allison (5) small claim entries	8.50
	16	William Lehnert—entry fee	.50
	24	Costs—State vs. Cassidy and Young	15.00
Dec.	28	Fine and costs—State vs. Harry Roberts	8.70
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			\$489.33

Disbursements

1939

Jan.	12	John F. Griffin—State vs. Leo Alford	\$ 16.70
	21	Coos County Democrat—Complaint blanks	17.75
Feb.	24	John F. Griffin—State vs. Emerald Cabana	12.90
Apr.	12	John F. Griffin—State vs. Harry L. Summers	6.70
		John F. Griffin—State vs. Harry L. Summers	26.70

	25	John F. Griffin—State vs. William Griffin	16.70
May	8	John F. Griffin—State vs. Vernal Stanley	26.70
	27	John F. Griffin—State vs. Fred Corrigan	51.70
	15	John F. Griffin—State vs. George F. Burgess	1.70
June	26	Robert P. Ramsay—Witness fee—State vs. Edward Dorr	4.40
		John F. Griffin—State vs. Edward Dorr	26.70
		John F. Griffin—State vs. Edward Dorr	26.70
July	25	John F. Griffin—State vs. Robert Egan	26.70
Aug.	7	John F. Griffin—State vs. Alvin Thompson	17.50
	9	John F. Griffin—State vs. Harry Gallagher	33.50
	25	John F. Griffin—State vs. Don Devlin	11.70
		John F. Griffin—State vs. George E. Kearns	1.70
		John F. Griffin—State vs. Claude Mountain	6.70
Sept.	8	Coos County Democrat—Blanks	9.75
	18	John F. Griffin—State vs. Edward N. Anderson	6.70
		John F. Griffin—State vs. Ernest B. Mason	6.70
Oct.	28	John F. Griffin—State vs. Lenwood Whiting	16.70
		John F. Griffith—State vs. Robert Kay	5.00
Nov.	9	Rupert E. Allison (5) small claim entries	5.00
	9	Posting and registering letters—Allison claims	1.00

20	Coos County Democrat—Mittimus blanks	9.50
Dec. 27	Harold Whitney—Witness fee—State vs. George Chaffee	2.12
27	I. D. Ellingwood—Officer's fees— State vs. Cassidy and Young	9.00
30	A. J. Kenney—Officer's fees	17.10
30	L. E. Moses	1.70
30	Fred W. Baker—Special Justice	21.00
30	James J. King—Officer's fees	3.40
	Town of Lancaster	41.51

\$489.33

Respectfully submitted,
FRED C. CLEAVELAND,
Justice.

TOWN AND MASONIC BUILDING

Receipts

Cash on hand Feb. 1, 1939	\$ 142.13
Rent of Hall	583.00
Town Appropriation	2000.00
Paid by Town	40.18
North Star Corporation	200.00
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	\$2965.31

Payments

Janitor	\$ 602.00
Sundries	78.13
Coal & wood	*1478.90
Lights	129.87
Insurance	611.75
Painting	18.00
Lancaster Fire Precinct, water rent	46.66
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	\$2965.31

* Includes a payment for coal for 1938.

REPORT OF DENTAL CLINIC

Jan. 31st, 1939 to Jan. 31st, 1940

10 Clinics have been held.

Number of hours of dental work—110 hrs., 35 min.

Total number of children attending 208

Total number of defects corrected 550

Receipts

Balance Feb. 1st, 1939 \$104.50

Town Appropriation 200.00

Received from County 54.50

Paid by Children 16.05

\$375.05

Disbursements

Dr. C. T. Parker (50 hrs., 25

mins. at \$3.00 per hr.) \$151.25

Dr. Karl F. Rund (60 hrs., 10

mins. at \$3.00 per hr.) 180.50

Brushes 2.90

334.65

Balance on Hand \$ 40.40

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. L. E. BRAGG.

MRS W. L. McCARTEN,

Co-Chairmen.

REPORT OF PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

District Nursing Service Jan. 1, 1939 to Jan. 1, 1940

Number of patients carried	408
Number of visits to or in behalf of patient	1532

Analysis of dismissed cases:

Antepartum	31
Delivery	12
Postpartum	15
Noncommunicable	145
Tuberculosis	12
Other communicable	41
Crippled children service	9
Newborn	14
Infant	5
Preschool	20
School	40
Adult	10
Minor operations	5
Social Service	46
Home Hygiene and Care of the Sick Class	1
Number of students receiving certificates	16
First Aid Class	1
Number of students receiving certificates	15

Cases were reported by:

Family	151
Physician	101
Others	93
Nurse	63

Total	408
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Pay status:

Full pay	54
Insured	46
Free	308

Total	408
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Institute attended by Nurse	1
Meetings attended by Nurse	15
Tonsil clinics arranged	3
Number receiving care of same	17
Dental clinics arranged	8
Number receiving care of same	161
Child Health Station sessions	12
Number children attending	89
Infants 62, Pre-school 27	
Repeat examinations	100

Total examinations	189
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Demonstration at office on Baby's Bath	1
State Board of Health protected children from Diphtheria	35
Exhibit of Lancaster classes at Wolfeboro and Keene	2
Exhibit of Health Posters at each conference	12
Ortheopedic clinic at Littleton	2
Number children attending	7
Adults attending	1
Tuberculosis clinics by Tuberculosis Association	2
Number attending new cases	37
Number attending old cases	26

Analysis on cases:

Suspicious	10
Negative	45
Arrested	8
X-rays taken	3
X-rays	3
Sputum tests made	6
Isotype's charts exhibited.	

Respectfully submitted,

MARY H. CAREY,

Public Health Nurse.

REPORT OF NURSING COMMITTEE

Annual Nursing Committee

The Regulation Red Cross Year
July 1, 1938 to July 1, 1939

Receipts

Cash Fees	\$ 125.55
Met. Life Insurance Co.	168.52
State Cancer Commission	31.75
Coos County	97.00
T & A Loan received	40.00
American Legion, Child Health Station	100.00
Red Cross Chapter for Auto Service	100.00
Town of Lancaster School Board of Lancaster	
Town and Special	1800.00
Dental Clinic	200.00
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Total	\$2662.82

Expenditures

Clerical	\$ 6.00
Salary	1800.00
Substitute Staff	54.25
Auto Expense	100.00
Nursing Supplies	32.01
Office Rental	156.00
Cleaning	3.08
Stationery	3.69
Telephone and Telegraph	58.64
Postage	4.26
Miscellaneous	3.60
T & A	15.00
Convention	13.10

Child Health Station	100.00
Dental Clinics	200.00

Total	\$2549.63
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Estimated time of donated Service rendered	235.11
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Grand Total	\$2784.74
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Respectfully submitted,

MRS. ETHEL M. McCARTEN,

Financial Secretary.

COL. F. L. TOWN FUND

Report of the Trustees of Francis L. Town Trust Fund

Year ending January 31, 1940

Investments from last report	\$320,898.75
Uninvested from last report	34,431.70
Income from investments	18,028.35
Profit from Green Mountain Power Co. bonds called for payment \$ 20.00	
Profit from Northern States Power Co. stock sold	18,419.50
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	\$18,439.50
Loss from Western United Gas & Electric Co. bonds called for payment	30.00
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Net profit	18,409.50
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	\$391,768.30

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Paid Spending Committee	\$ 17,935.48
Paid Geo. N. Kent & Son, premium on trustees' bond	46.67
Paid administration expenses	46.20
Investments Jan. 31, 1939	\$320898.75

Investments paid:

Green Mountain Power Co. bonds	\$ 4060.00
Northern States Power Co. stock	24502.50
Western United Gas & Electric Co. bonds	4200.00

Army & Navy Club bond	500.00
Payment on Spending Committee loan	3000.00
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	<hr/> \$284636.25

New Investments:

35M U. S. Treasury bonds	\$38245.33
Deposited in N. H. Savings Banks	35000.00
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Investments January 31, 1940	\$357,881.58
Uninvested January 31, 1940	15,858.37
	<hr/> \$391,768.30

Respectfully submitted,
W. H. McCARTEN,
Treasurer of Trustees.

February 16th, 1940. Examined and found correct with proper vouchers.

L. B. HOLTON,
A. J. KENNEY,
Auditors.

COL. F. L. TOWN SPENDING COMMITTEE**Treasurer's Report****Receipts**

Balance on hand January 31, 1939	\$ 1832.46
Trustees of Trust Funds	17935.48
Payments from Scholarship Loan Fund	1000.00
M. J. Daley, Supt., Community House receipts	440.00
Col. F. L. Town Community Camp	51.16
Refunds	31.51
	<hr/> \$21290.61

Disbursements

On principal of Loan from Trust Funds	\$3000.00
Interest on loan from Trust Funds	900.00

Appropriations from Committee:

Scholarships	\$ 880.00	
Boy Scouts, Troop 219	150.00	
Boy Scouts, Troop 204	100.00	
Wm. G. Fuller, Music Memorial Day	39.00	
Col. F. L. Town School Prizes	155.00	
Kiwanis Club, Playground	50.00	
Flowers, Col. F. L. Town lot for season	48.00	
Flowers, Col. F. L. Town lot May 30	15.00	
Outside School Districts. W. R. Galbraith, Chairman	400.00	
Lancaster Golf Club	1000.00	
Lancaster Public Library, Juvenile Department	700.00	
Lancaster High School, Student Activities	100.00	
Lancaster High School, Movie Sound Projector	300.00	
Lancaster Skating Rink	300.00	
Lancaster Hospital, Ladies' Auxiliary	100.00	
	—————	\$4337.00

Community House:

Supt. and Matron, and all labor in the house	\$3500.00
Chas. W. Fitch & Son, fuel oil	756.18
Insurance	584.00
Lights, Power & Water	505.97
House supplies	278.47
Miscellaneous	179.23
Telephone	79.85
Repairs and Additions	1313.71

Western Union Telegraph Co.,	
rent of clocks	30.00
Donation of Hall	35.00
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	\$7262.41

Community Field:

Care of Field	\$ 68.91
Gas and Oil for Power mower	9.40
Care of Tennis Courts	50.00
Pruning trees	26.50
Tennis tape	44.00
Draining field	211.22
Players benches and repairs to grandstand	92.80
Bases	15.40
Flagpole and Flag	21.48
Miscellaneous	1.51
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	\$ 541.22

Community Camp:

F. C. Leavitt, Salary	\$275.00
New Toilets	440.60
Telephone	28.90
Miscellaneous	70.98
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	\$ 815.48

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	\$16856.11
Balance on hand January 31, 1940	4434.50
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	\$21290.61

Reserved for Col. F. L. Town Com- munity Camp improvements	\$1000.00
Reserved for resurfacing tennis court	\$ 500.00

Respectfully submitted,

ENOS G. FAY,

Treasurer

Auditors' Report

Feb. 16, 1940. Audited and found correct with proper vouchers.

A. J. KENNEY,
L. B. HOLTON,
Auditors.

CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Acting in the capacity of a party that is assigned the responsibility of interpreting the desires and purpose of a person as expressed through the medium of a will is a duty that is extremely difficult to perform. The history of interpretations of wills indicates that nearly as many plans and ideas are advanced as there are people making interpretations of the same document.

The Colonel Town Spending Committee, elected by the voters of the town, in the last analysis is merely an agent of the people entrusted with the responsibility of interpreting and carrying out the ideals and ideas Colonel Town might have had when he had this document drawn up. During the period of time that the present committee have had this responsibility it has been their interpretation that paramount among the Colonel's philosophies was building into the people of Lancaster character and citizenship, using as a medium for this objective the income from his estate which he bequeathed to the town. Whether or not the Committee have succeeded in carrying out this ambition and dream of the Colonel, only the citizens of the town can tell. It is sufficient to say that back of each appropriation has been this fundamental philosophy.

In going over the effect of the Spending Committee on the lives of the people in the town of Lancaster, it is interesting to reflect for a moment on some of the projects which have been carried on. Perhaps one of

the most gratifying endeavors has been money and effort expended in making available funds for the younger people of the town in carrying on their education beyond the point of our local high-school. Through this medium 49 of our young people, both village and rural, have availed themselves of the privileges of attaining training that would equip them for positions in the demands of life whereby they would be able to serve their fellowmen a little better. From the Committee's point of view, this is a contribution from the Colonel Town Fund in building character and citizenship. As a by-product of this project each of these young people has been asked to sign a note. The history of this project has been so gratifying in connection with the repayments of these notes that the project at the present time is being carried on from funds that have been loaned in past years to young people who are now in a position to repay and make possible the re-loaning of this money to some other young person who still has his educational program ahead. These young people have assumed this responsibility earnestly and have demonstrated their appreciation for the project and their serious intention to carry out their part by repayments on the money which was loaned them. The Committee has a very definite feeling that not only have educational facilities that were made possible to these young people tended to build character and citizenship, but the assuming of the moral obligation of repayment has also very definitely built character and citizenship in these young people. The Scholarship Committee has asked for no appropriation for two years and will not in the coming year due to repayment of loans.

This same philosophy might be carried even further. A large amount of the money made available through Colonel Town's bequest is used for the maintenance and carrying on of athletic and recre-

ational facilities at little or no cost to those participating. This feature the Committee feels builds character and citizenship. As a by-product of these various ventures our people have demonstrated their character and citizenship by—First: Respecting the rights of other people in the town in sharing the use of the various pieces of equipment. Second: The respect for Colonel Town and his bequest by the careful and respectful use they make of the Colonel Town properties and the gentlemanly and ladylike manner in which they conduct themselves while using the Colonel Town facilities. The third, and perhaps most significant way in which the Colonel Town bequest has built citizenship and character in Lancaster people, has been their very definite attitude to carry on and do as much as they can themselves rather than ask Colonel Town through the Spending Committee to do things for them. A few examples which illustrate this point are;

The Rotary Club appropriates funds for the maintenance of a skating rink. The Kiwanis Club carries on with very little help the playground which was originally conducted by the Spending Committee. The Boy Scout troops fundamentally carry their own financial program with very little help from the Spending Committee. The Hospital Auxiliary have assumed their responsibility and ask for very little help. This year the town school districts appropriated money for the transportation of school children of high-school age to supplement the appropriation of the Colonel Town Fund rather than ask for an increased appropriation from the Spending Committee.

From the Committee's point of view all of these projects and their by-products have demonstrated that the citizens of Lancaster look upon the bequest of Colonel Town as a fund to augment and assist them in building character and citizenship among their people rather than as a means whereby they can shirk

responsibilities which definitely belong to them. This type of philosophy which evidently is part of the spirit of the people of the town of Lancaster has definitely made Colonel Town's bequest an asset rather than a liability to its people.

DAN A. O'BRIEN,
Chairman Spending Committee.

Feb. 15, 1940.

Secretary's Report

The Colonel Town Spending Committee for 1939 was composed of nine members as follows: Mrs. Ethel McCarten, Dr. W. M. Bronson and L. E. Bragg, whose terms of office expire in 1940; Evelyn Moyle, Enos G. Fay and Dan A. O'Brien, whose terms of office expire 1941; Mrs. Katherine Lane, Carroll Stoughton and Elmer Dickey, whose terms of office terminate in 1942. The officers for 1939 were: Dan A. O'Brien, Chairman; Enos G. Fay, Treasurer; Evelyn Moyle, Secretary. The following Sub-committees served for the past year: House Committee—Dr. W. M. Bronson, Chairman; Enos Fay and Evelyn Moyle; Field Committee—Carroll Stoughton, Chairman, L. E. Bragg and Katherine Lane; Camp Committee—L. E. Bragg, Chairman, Dan O'Brien and Mrs. Ethel McCarten; Scholarship Committee—D. M. White, Chairman, Carroll Stoughton and Mrs. Ethel McCarten.

Meetings were held intermitently during the year, most of which were for urgent appropriations or matters of policy. To keep abreast with the changing conditions and adapting the rules and regulations to additional equipment which has been added to the plant, the rules were revised, copies of which were posted conspicuously in various parts of the Colonel Town property. Following a precedent which was established some years back, the Committee waited until after all of the money had been received from the Trustees before making the major portion of their appropriations. Final payment by the Trustees occurred after

the last dividends were received which was in January.

During the year flowers have been placed on Colonel Town's grave each week during the summer. This year was the first opportunity to make any estimate as to the benefit derived from money spent in 1938 for insulation and storm windows at the Community House. The management has reported a very definite improvement in the efforts to keep the building comfortable notwithstanding the fact that January of 1940 has been as difficult a month to keep buildings comfortable as has been experienced in the North Country for many years. During the year the usual appropriations have been made, details of which can be found in the Treasurer's Report. The Treasurer's Report might be supplemented by the fact that the Scholarship Committee under the leadership of D. M. White, a non-member of the Committee serving on the Sub-committee, has reached a point now where repayments from former loans were sufficient to meet demands for all requests in 1938 and 1939.

In conjunction with carrying on with the ordinary appropriations some improvements have been made on the field in a drainage near the back-stop of the baseball diamond. Water in this vicinity has always been a menace and it is hoped that the new system of drainage will correct this situation. An additional appropriation was made to the Juvenile Library this year for books. From reports received by the Committee the library has developed into a real worthwhile factor in the lives of young people in the community to such an extent that the books have been practically worn out. The Community Camp has been somewhat improved during the past year and has continued as in the past to be one of the most popular projects carried on by the Committee. The tennis courts have grown in popularity each year. For want of adequate funds the courts were carried through 1939 in a rather unsatisfactory condition.

Money has been appropriated for improving these courts in 1940 as soon as weather conditions will permit, making them available for play as soon as possible. The Committee has also appropriated money for work on the house at the Community Camp. The renovation of the house which is being considered will include the preservation of as much of the old structure as possible with a finished building that will harmonize with the other building at the Camp and be more useful in carrying on the activities of this popular resort.

The Spending Committee feels it has a dual roll to perform in carrying on of its duties. First: Conducting the property in such a manner that it will be used to its maximum and that the people can get the greatest possible amount of pleasure and satisfaction from using it, and, second, maintaining the property not only as a medium of pleasure and satisfaction to the people but as a memorial to Colonel Town, its donor, which the Committee feels carries with it a certain dignity. Judging from the amount of use which the people make of the Colonel Town properties, it is evident that our adults and youth are enjoying the facilities made available through Colonel Town's bequest. The fine condition in which the property is preserved, the small amount of money necessary for repairs and the orderly manner in which people conduct themselves while on the property indicate that the people themselves sense that this property is a memorial to a fine citizen. The administering of the property has been extremely easy from the standpoint of the violation of rules or asking for exception to rules, a situation which has made serving on the Spending Committee pleasant and to which the Committee owes a debt of gratitude to every citizen in the town of Lancaster for their cooperation.

MISS EVELYN MOYLE,

Secretary Spending Committee.

Feb. 15, 1940.

Superintendent's Report**Receipts**

Cash on hand	\$ 2.78
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Bowling and Pool:

February, 1939	\$100.15	
March, 1939	84.45	
April, 1939	59.25	
May, 1939	39.70	
June, 1939	18.80	
July, 1939	.30	
August, 1939		
September, 1939	24.50	
October, 1939	43.40	
November, 1939	63.10	
December, 1939	79.40	
January, 1940	92.45	
	<hr/>	\$605.50

Tennis Courts	\$ 13.75
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Telephone Calls	.50
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House and Hall:

February, 1939	\$12.00	
March, 1939	17.00	
April, 1939	15.50	
May, 1939	10.00	
June, 1939	5.00	
July, 1939	2.00	
August, 1939	2.00	
September, 1939	5.00	
October, 1939	2.00	
November, 1939	7.00	
December, 1939	43.00	
January, 1940	51.00	
	<hr/>	\$171.50

\$794.03

Expenditures

Paid Pin Boys	\$272.24
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Sundries:		
Supplies	\$31.43	
Express	4.89	
Repairs	8.25	
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Col. Town Spending Committee		
(Enos G. Fay, Treas.)		\$440.00
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		\$756.81
Balance in hands of Supt.		37.22
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		\$794.03

A fairly accurate survey of the use made of the building discloses:

(A) Patrons paid for and rolled 7721 strings on the alleys. Women rolled free of charge 1362 strings. (These do not include the vast number rolled by school pupils for which no charge is made.)

(B) The Hall has been used for Basketball activities a total of 500 hours.

(C) The building has been used for other special purposes an aggregate of 510 hours.

(D) Parties 33, Dances 14, Basketball games 40, Committee meetings 140.

Unity Club meets twice a month except during the summer. Girl Scout troop once a week, Eighth Grade Graduation, Prize Speaking Contest, High School Graduation and Reception were held in the Auditorium.

The Tennis Courts were opened in May and closed the last of November. Eighteen hundred persons played tennis during that time.

The building has been shown to many visitors during the past year.

Respectfully submitted, ..

M. J. DALEY,

Superintendent.

OVERSEER OF POOR

For the Year Ending January 31, 1940

Receipts

Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1939	\$ 95.34
Town reimbursed by client	316.50
From Town	5,175.00
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	\$5,586.84

Disbursements

For support of Town Poor	\$4,130.82
For Old Age Assistance	1,383.34
Cash on hand Jan. 31, 1940	72.68
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	\$5,586.84

Respectfully submitted,

F. R. LYON,

Overseer of Poor.

Auditors' Report

February 19, 1940. Examined and found correct with proper vouchers.

A. J. KENNEY,

L. B. HOLTON,

Auditors.

TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT

Report of Town District Treasurer

July 1, 1938 to June 30, 1939

Receipts

Equalization fund for elementary schools (from State)	\$ 4199.25
For the support of elementary schools	7406.64
For the payment of high school and Academy tuition	2077.64
For the salaries of district officers	196.00
For the payment of per capita tax	430.00
Dog licenses (from selectmen)	103.27
Income from local trust funds	22.49
Cash on hand July 1, 1938	1605.60
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Total Receipts	\$16040.89

Disbursements

Salaries of district officers	\$ 196.00
Superintendent's excess salary	283.00
Truant officers and school census	18.00
Expenses of administration	97.59
Principals' and teachers' salaries	6900.00
Text books	102.89
Scholars' supplies	140.63
Other expenses of instruction	90.89
Janitor service	232.50
Fuel	351.90
Water, light, janitor's supplies	112.67
Minor repairs and expenses	651.36
Medical inspection and health supervision	400.00
Transportation of pupils	2451.00
High school and academy tuition	2077.64
Elementary school tuition	1369.40
Other special activities	1.50

Tax for state wide supervision	430.00
Insurance and other fixed charges	69.32
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Total payments for all purposes	\$15976.29
Total cash on hand at end of year	
(June 30, 1939)	64.60
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Grand Total	\$16040.89

SCHOOL BOARD BUDGET

Estimate Lancaster Town 1940-1941

Teachers' Salaries	\$7,000.00
Text Books	120.00
Scholars' Supplies	140.00
Flags and Appurtenances	5.00
Other Expenses of Instruction	60.00
Janitor Service	243.00
Fuel	400.00
Water, Light, Janitors' Supplies	110.00
Minor Repairs and Expenses	200.00
Health Supervision	410.00
Transportation of Pupils	2160.00
Elementary Tuitions	1120.00
Other Special Activities	40.00
New Equipment	20.00
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	\$12,028.00

Other Statutory Requirements

Salaries of district officers	\$ 192.00
Truant officer and school census	20.00
High School Tuitions	2400.00
Superintendent's Salary	283.00
Per Capita Tax	452.00
Insurance	115.00
Expenses of Administration	100.00

Other Obligations	300.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 3862.00
Special for High School Transportation	500.00	
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Total amount required		\$16,390.00
Estimated Income of District		
Balance June 30, 1940	\$ 400.00	
Dog Tax	50.00	
Income from Trust Funds	22.49	
State Aid Dec.1940 Allotment	4384.58	
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Total		\$ 4,857.07
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Assessment Required to balance		
School Board's Budget		\$11,532.93

REPORT OF SCHOOL COMMITTEE

At the annual meeting of the Town School District in March 1939, Mr. Chester Marshall was re-elected.

The state inspector visited our seven schools in the fall, and reported that he was pleased with the excellent condition of the buildings.

One major repair job was accomplished last fall which now gives the children at No. 11 a suitable yard in which to play. The rocks were removed and tile installed, in order to take care of the drainage.

The smaller number of tuition children next year makes possible a drop in the amount of money needed.

CHESTER MARSHALL—Term Expires 1942

WILLIAM GALBRAITH—Term Expires 1941

RALPH D. SHUTE—Term Expires 1940.

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

To the Honorable School Board and Citizens of the Lancaster School District:

The same seven schools are in operation this year as last. Gore school remains the largest with

twenty-eight pupils, closely followed by Stebbins Hill with twenty-seven enrolled. Fewer town district pupils are enrolled in the village this year.

Repairs

Only one major repair job was undertaken this year, and that was the draining and grading of the yard at No. 11. For years this yard had been very wet, and covered with large rocks. These rocks have been removed, and two large drains installed which greatly improves the condition of the grounds.

The shed at No. 15 should have the foundation replaced, as it was weakened during the flood of '36.

Health

The same excellent health program that has been in operation for several years has been continued. Early in the year a physical check-up is given by the school physician, and the defects found are followed up by the school nurse. The dental clinics have been of great value in the correction of teeth defects.

Transportation

Five routes are maintained for the elementary children, and several for the high school pupils. This last is made possible by the special appropriation at the school meeting, and by the contribution from the Col. Town Fund.

Education as an Investment

A considerable number of our former town district pupils are now holding responsible positions, not only in our own state, but in other states of the Union as well. This has been made possible by the fact that they were enabled to get sound training in Lancaster Academy, and to further their education by attending institutions of higher learning. This is sure proof that education pays good dividends for those who have the talent and desire to profit from the investment.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM G. FULLER.

Table I

School Year 1938-1939

Schools arranged according to excellence of attendance as follows:

School	Percent				Supt.
	Attend.	Boys	Girls	Tardy	Visits
Mt. Cabot	98.4	6	9	0	29
Martin Meadow	98.13	6	7	8	14
Elm Ridge	97.7	8	8	2	33
Gore	97.6	16	12	8	30
Grange	96.99	9	10	0	37
So. Lancaster	94.	20	5	20	22
Stebbins Hill	92.	7	12	16	28
	96.4	72	63	53	193

Table II

Enrollment February 1940

Schools	Grades								Totals
No.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	
2, So. Lancaster	3	7	2	3	2	2		3	22
4, Mt. Cabot		5		4	1	2	4		16
6, Elm Ridge	5	2		2	4	2	1		16
7, Grange		4	2		2	2	3	1	14
9, Gore	4	3	3	5	2	2	5	4	28
10, Martin Meadow	1	4	2	2		1	3		13
11, Stebbins Hill	5	3	2	3	3	2	6	3	27
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Total by Grades	18	28	11	19	14	13	22	11	136
Total Enrollment in District Schools									136
Grade Enrollment in Lancaster Village									29
Enrolled in Lancaster High School									43
Private Pupils									3

Grand Total of Lancaster Town Pupils 211

Roll of Perfect Attendance

Lancaster Town 1938-1939

Ainsworth, Dorothy	Knapp, Everdean
Ainsworth, Florence	Martin, Sylvia
Ainsworth, Sherwood	Phillips, Donald
Emerson, Faye	Phillips, Harry
Gallant, Margaret	Shorey, Lend
Griffin, Raymond	Webster, Hollis
Knapp, Edna	Whiting, Mary

Whitney, Herbert

Table III

Giving Teacher, School and Training respectively:

Rena B. Savage, No. 2, Plymouth Normal
M. Jennie O'Connell, No. 4, Keene Normal S. S.
Helen S. Martin, No. 6, Plymouth Normal
Amelia B. Morse, No. 7, Salem Normal
Helen McGary, No. 9, Keene Normal S. S.
Dorothy H. Barnett, No. 10, Plymouth Normal
Annie McGinley, No. 11, Plymouth Normal

PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE'S REPORT**To the School Board of Lancaster Town District:**

This report includes a part of two school years.
Seven rural schools are open.

Number children examined by Dr. Bronson	129
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Kind and number of defects found:

Vision	21
Pupils with defective teeth	115
Diseased tonsils and adenoids	20
Skin diseases	4
Cardiac Murmur	1
Pediculosis	13

Kinds and defects corrected or treated:

Skin disease	4
Tonsil and adenoids	8

Pupils with teeth corrected	111
Corrections	329
Vision	6
2 under treatment	
Pediculosis	13
Arranged and attended tonsil clinic	2
Arranged and attended Dental clinic	5
Orthopedic clinic, number children attend	3
Whooping cough	cases 5
Chicken pox	4
Number of school visits made	90

Work accomplished on Nurse's Visits—Children weighed and measured, vision and hearing tests given. skin inspections made, Health talks given, parents and children notified about Toxide, Tuberculosis and Orthopedic clinics and Child Health Conference. home visits made whenever necessary in interest of tonsil correction or other necessary work. Cod-liver oil is furnished in all schools.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY H. CAREY.

Public Health Nurse.

LIBRARY REPORT

Receipts

Cash on hand	\$80.16
Town Orders	2000.00
Col. Town Spending Committee	700.00
Committee on Trust Funds	275.02
Cards and Fines	96.00
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	\$3157.18

Disbursements

Librarian	\$ 999.96
Janitor and Supplies	351.40
Heat and Light	345.52
Telephone and Express	39.60
Books	247.41
Periodicals	38.00
Insurance and Water	140.00
Printing	6.85
Petty Cash	30.00
Junior Department, Librarian	539.96
Junior Department, Books	78.14
Reference Books	24.30
Rebinding	87.19
Repairs and Maintenance	27.25
Cash on Hand	201.60
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	\$3157.18

Petty Cash Account

Cash on Hand	\$ 1.60
Received from Treasurer	30.00
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	\$31.60

Help	\$11.94	
Books and Magazines	7.36	
Postage	2.76	
Supplies	2.65	
Miscellaneous	6.89	
	————	\$31.60

Respectfully submitted,
 JAMES L. DOW,
 Treasurer.

Auditor's Report

February 20, 1940. Examined and found correct with proper vouchers.

A. J. KENNEY,
 L. B. HOLTON,
 Auditors.

Librarian's Annual Report

The most noticeable happening in our Public Library this last year was the resignation of Mrs. Annie P. Hastings from the Trusteeship, Nov. 20th, of which she had been a member for 43 years, and the oldest in membership. In this capacity she has served faithfully and most efficiently. Her natural love for the best in literature has helped to keep the Library as a high standard, of which there is much need in this day of cheap and obscene literature.

Mrs. Hastings will always feel a personal interest in the welfare of the Library, especially the Juvenile Department, of which she has long had the vision. However, Mrs. Hastings' place has been most satisfactorily filled by Mrs. Ethel McCarten whose ideals for good reading will be maintained in the selection of books. The Trustees now are Mr. James L. Dow, who has been Treasurer since 1916, Mrs. Emily Holton, and Mrs. Ethel McCarten.

Books added to the Library last year numbered 131, of which seven are gifts, and for which we are grateful to the donors.

As many books are discarded each year, the average number remains about 9,000; 16,253 have been in circulation during the year, over 3,000 non-fiction—an average of over 50 a day.

The English teachers select the best books for the students starting in the High School. Fiction, biography, and travel, and reference books are in constant demand. The Bookmobile from Concord continues its call every six weeks, which is a help.

Names recorded in our guest book for visiting tourists during the summer months of 1939 number 200.

Money collected for fines alone for the year amounted to \$76.00 and was turned over to the Treasurer.

Following are the Periodicals:

American Boy, American Girl, American Forests, American Home, American Magazine, Atlantic Magazine, Atlantic Monthly, Better Homes and Gardens, Catholic Digest, Child Life, Cosmopolitan, Good Housekeeping, Hobbies, National Geographic, Nature Magazine, News Week, Popular Mechanics, Popular Science, Readers Digest, Saturday evening Post, St. Nicholas, Story Parade, Wee Wisdom.

Respectfully submitted,

MARTHA W. BRACKETT,

Librarian.

Juvenile Library Report

The retirement of Mrs. Annie Hastings, long a member of the Board of Trustees of the Library, was marked with regret by all with whom she had been associated. The children's room being an especial dream of Mrs. Hastings' come true, (Thanks to the Colonel Town Fund), her interest has been always in the young people. Wishing to give something to commemorate her years of service, she has given a collection of curios from many lands, complete with the case, as well as minerals, shells, coins, and so forth, which were collected by her only son, Warren.

Mrs. Wm. L. McCarten was appointed by the Selectmen to fill out the unexpired term of Mrs. Hastings.

Miss Charlotte Bronson entertained the First and Second grades on two occasions in the Fall at Story Hours.

The following organizations each gave a book to the children's room at Book Week: Rotary Club, Unity Club, Daughters of Isabella, and Kiwanis Club.

The Librarian attended the State Library meeting at Plymouth, and the district meeting at North Stratford, in September.

With so much cheap reading on the news-stands today, the Library should make a double effort to keep the children's interest on worth while material. This means that sufficient funds for books should be provided to hold the readers.

New books added to the Juvenile department—48, only four being gifts. Fines turned in to Treasurer—\$20.00. Total circulation—8,175.

Respectfully submitted,

ELAINE F. HICKEY,

Juvenile Librarian.

**List of New Books added to
the William D. Weeks
Memorial Library**

BOOKS OF 1939

FICTION

Class	Author	Title
A126	Abbott, Anthony	Creeps, the
A364y	Aldrich, Bess Streeter	Song of years, 2nd copy
A812	Asch, Sholem	Nazarene, the
A98	Ayers, Ruby M.	And still they dream
B115a	Babson, Naomi L.	All the tomorrows
B19wm	Baldwin, Faith	White magic
B310f	Bassett, Sarah Ware	Son of the sea
B614	Binns, Archie	Land is bright
B792r	Boylston, Helen Dore	Sure Barton, rural nurse
B85p	Bridge, Ann	Four part setting
B869w	Bronte, Emily	Wuthering Heights
B239p	Buck, Pearl	Patriot, the
C22t	Canfield, Dorothy	Seasoned Timber
C55p	Christie, Agatha	Poirot loses a client
C643	Cloete, Stephen	Watch for the dawn
C79c	Corbett, Elizabeth	"Charlie Manning"
C78p	Corbett, Elizabeth	Far down, the
D163	Damon, Bertha	Grandma called it carnal
D677	Di Donato, Pietro	Christ in concrete
D732d	Douglas, Lloyd	Doctor Hudson's secret journal
D745	Dowdey, Clifford	Gamble's Hundred
D866mm	Dumas, Alexander	Man in the iron mask, the
E15c	Eberhart, M. G.	Chiffon scarf
E734	Ertz, Susan	One fight more
F23h	Farnol, Jeffrey	Happy harvest
F717c	Forrester, C. S.	Captain Horatio Hornblower
F828r	Frankau, Gilbert	Royal Regiment
G151ma	Gale, Zona	Magna
G68	Goudge, Elizabeth	Towers in the Mist
G81p	Greene, Anne Bosworth	Punch, the cruising dog
G871	Griswold, Francis	Sea island lady, a
H363	Hathaway, Sibyl	Maid of Sark
H462e	Rice, Alice Hegan	Our Ernie
J54	Jennings, John	Next to valour
J662	Johnson, Osa	I married adventure
K37	Kent, Louise Andrews	Paul Revere Square
K44g	Keyes, Frances Parkinson	Great Tradition, the
L245	Lancaster, Bruce and Brentano, Lowell	Bride of a thousand cedars
L33u	Larrimore, Lida	Uncle Caleb's niece
L735	Lin, Yutang	Moment in Peking
L371i	Lincoln, J. C. and Freeman	Ownley Inn, the

L837hh	Loring, Emily	High of heart
M357w	Marquand, John P.	Wickford Point
M363sh	Marsh, George	Vanished men
M391	Masefield, John	Live and Kicking Ned
M412	Mason, Van Wyck	Three harbors
M566	Merrick, Elliott	Frost and Fire
M63	Miller, Ethel Hull	Out of the roaring loom
M648s	Miller, Helen Topping	Song after midnight
M877d	Morrow, Honore	Demon daughter
N61	Nichols, Beverley	Green grows the city
N855	Norris, Kathleen	Lost sunrise
P133	Page, Elizabeth	Tree of liberty
P275	Partridge, Bellamy	Country lawyer
P87	Pound, Arthur	Hawk of Detroit
R788w	Rosman, Alice Grant	William's room
R823	Ross, Leonard Q.	Strangest places, the
S177c	Saltern, Felix	Bambi's children
S271	Sawyer, Topliffe	Cavalry man
S275	Sayers, Dorothy	Gaudy night
S452	Seely	Crying sisters
S53h	Sharp, Margery	Harlequin house
S76	Spring, Howard	My son, my son
S81	Steinbeck, John	Grapes of wrath
S847bm	Stevenson, Dorothy	Miss Bunce married
T31gm	Terhune, Albert Payson	Grudge mountain
T44	Thirkell, Angela	Brandons, the
T623	Titus, Harold	Flame in the forest
V22	Vance, Ethel	Escape
V24w	Van Dine, S. S.	Winter murder case, the
W664s	Widdemer, Margaret	She knew three brothers
W85	Wolfe, Thomas	Web and the rock, the

NON-FICTION

Class	Author	Title
150-W37	Webster, Doris	Can you think?
327.43-R24	Rauschnig, Hermann	Revolution of Nihilism
372.5-C72	Colver, Alice Ross	If you should want to write
591.98-S21	Sanderson, Ivan T.	Caribbean treasure
629.13-L27	Langewiesche, Wolfgang	I'll take the high road
629.13-S133a	Saint Exulery, Antoine de	Wind, sand and stars
770-C712	Collins, A. Frederick	Photography for fun and money
790.7-M42	Matthews, Franklin K.	Boy Scouts book of indoor hobby trails

822-S55	Sherwood, Robert E.	Abe Lincoln in Illinois
901-D95	Durant, Will	Life of Greece
910-F82a	Franck, Rachel Latta	I married a vagabond
910-G17	Galsworthy, Ada	Over the hills and far away
910.4-F157	Fahnstock, Mary Sheridan	I ran away to sea at fifty
910.4-L84	Long, Dwight	Seven seas on a shoestring
914.3-D63	Dodd, Martha	Through Embassy Eyes
914.3-W21	Waln, Nora	Reaching for the Stars
914.7-T58	Timbres, Harry and Rebecca	We didn't ask Utopia
915-G224	Gardner, Mona	Menacing sun, the
916-A43	Allen, Van Nes	I found Africa
917.4-A43	Allis, Marguerite	Connecticut River
917.4-S845	Stevens, William Oliver	Discovering Long Island
919.11-K28	Leith, Agnes Newton	Land below the wind
920-B36	Beard, Annie E. S.	Our foreign born citizens
920-L735a	Lin, Adet and Anor	Our family
940-G977	Gunther, John	Inside Europe
940.4-P61	Pierce, Watson O'Dell	Air War
940.495-A378	Alexander, Ray	Cruise of the raider Wolf
940.5-T46	Thompson, Dorothy	Let the record speak
943-V26	Van Loon, Hendrick	Our battle
943.6-F95	Fuschs, Martin	Showdown in Vienna
950-G977	Gunther, John	Inside Asia
973-B368	Beard, Charles and Mary	Americans Mid- passage
974.71-S63	Slocum, Rosalie and Todd, Ann	A key to New York
975.244-F66	Footner, Hulbert	Charles' gift
983-R55	Riesenberg, Felix	Cape Horn

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Class	Author	Title
B-B725s	Skinner, Otis	Edwin Booth, the last tragedian
B-C18	Fanell, Andrew	John Cameron's Odyssey
B-C281s	Scudder, Townsend	Jane Welsh Carlisle
B-C487a	Chase, Mary Ellen	Goodly Fellowship
B-E12s	Putnam, George Palmer	Soaring Wings
B-F346	Ferber, Edna	Peculiar Treasurer
B-H64	Hitler, Aloph	Mein Kampf
B-K18	Harding, Bertita	Imperial Twilight
B-P41	Coffin, Robert P. Tristram	Captain Abby and Captain John
B-P53	Phelps, William Lyon	Autobiography, with letters

B-P94	Priestly, J. B.	Rain upon Godshill
B-R613	Strout, Richard Lee	"Maud"
B-S782	Souvarine, Boris	Stalin, a critical survey of bolshevism
B-S848h	Home from the sea	Richard A. Berman
B-T48a	Canby, Henry Siedel	Thoreau
B-V27	Van Paassen, Pierre	Days of our years
B-W72w	Wilson, Edith Bolling	My Memoir

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FICTION 1939

Class	Author	Title
J A217	Adams	Five little friends
J B363	Bazin	Juniper farm (gift)
J B86p	Brock	Present for auntie
J B794	Bryan	Frisky finding a home
J B957s	Burglon	Sticks across the chimney
J C31	Carroll	Land spell
J C466	Chapman	Mystery of the broken key
J C675r	Coffin	Trains
J C684	Colby	Penny Penguin
J D281t	deAngeli	Ted and Nina go to the grocery store
J G132	Gaggin	Ear for uncle Emil
J G259	Gates	Jim and Judy
J G259d	Gates	Down our street
J G259w	Gates	We grow up
J G263	Gatti	Saranga the pygmy
J G311	Gehres Book I	Everyday life
J G311	Gehres Book II	Everyday life
J G842	Grey	Rolling wheels
J H128	Hader	Cricket
J H153	Haines	David and Jonathan
J H162	Hale (Copy 2)	Peterkin papers
J H26n	Hardy	New stories
J H399m	Hawthorne	Miniature's secret
J H71m	Hogan	Mule twins
J H72w	Holberg	Wee Brigit O'Toole
J H93	Hunt (Copy 3)	About Harriett
J H951	Huntington	Let's go outdoors
J L33	LaRue (Copy 3)	Little Indians
J L35j	Lattimore	Jonny
J L573	Lenski	Phebe Fairchild
J M153	McKown	All the days were Antonia's
J M233	Major	Bears of Blue River
J M481b	Meador	Boy with a pack
J M63	Miller	White-saddle
J M63j	Miller	Junior White-saddle
J P866	Potter	Wooden bear
J R75	Rollins	Gone haywire
J R788	Rosanov	Adventures of Misha

J R878	Rowe	Traveling shops (Gift)
J R917	Rudolph	Masha (Gift)
J S636	Smart	Circus fun
J T734b	Tousey	Buffalo Bill
J V281	vanStockum	Cottage at Bantry Bay
J W617	Whitney	Timothy and the blue cart
J W729	Williamson	Monkey tale
J Y56	Yonge	Dove in the eagle's nest (gift)

NON-FICTION

J 822-L21	Lamb (Copy 2)	Tales from Shakespeare
J 232-P47c	Petersham	Christ child

REFERENCE

J R027.8-F223	Fargo, Lucile	Activity book for school libraries
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